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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Group Art Unit:

HEINER STEGMANN

Examiner:

Serial No.: 09/926,129

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For: METHOD FOR DETERMINING THE STRESS CAPACITY OF A PERSON

**SUBMISSION OF TRANSLATION AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed October 25, 2000, copy attached, please enter the attached translation into this application, and amend the translation as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend the claims as set forth hereinbelow and in the attached appendix:

3. (Amended) Process according to claim 1, characterized in that the measured curves are measured during a staged effort change of the person.

4. (Amended) Process according to claim 1, characterized in that the measured curves are measured during a continuous